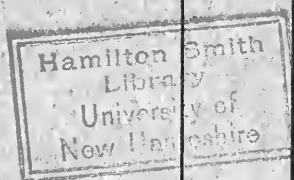


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ANNUAL REPORT

OF THE OFFICERS OF THE

TOWN OF SANDWICH



FOR THE FISCAL YEAR
ENDING JANUARY 31

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This is to certify that the information contained in this report was taken from official records and is complete to the best of our knowledge and belief.

January 31, 1924.

CARL S. DORR,

WALTER S. TAPPAN,

HARRY BLANCHARD,

Selectmen.

NELLIE E. RUSSELL,

Treasurer.

BLANCHARD PRINTING CO.
BOSTON, MASS.
1924.

TOWN OFFICERS

Moderator

CHARLES B. HOYT

Representative

CHARLES B. HOYT

Town Clerk

CHARLES O. SMITH

Town Treasurer

NELLIE E. RUSSELL

Tax Collector

MILDRED M. BLANCHARD

Librarian

MILDRED T. BLANCHARD

Library Trustees

KATHARINE F. BRYER

JESSE L. AMBROSE

3 years

1 year

JAMES S. ROBERTS, 2 years

Trustees of Trust Funds

WILLIAM HEARD

ELMER B. HART

WILLIS B. MARSTON

Supervisors of the Check List

CLARE E. GEORGE

F. HERBERT WEED

WATSON E. BEACH

Ballot Inspectors

Rep.

CLARE E. GEORGE

Dem.

HERBERT J. HAM

FLORENCE W. HOYT

EUGENE P. WALLACE

Board of Health

ALBERT B. HOAG, M.D., and SELECTMEN

Dog Officer

EUGENE E. MUDGETT

Fire Warden

DANIEL S. WATSON

Manager Town Hall

RYVERS F. AINGER

Deputy Fire Wardens

HERBERT L. PERKINS

WALTER H. AVERY

ROSS M. GRAVES

Constables

JOHN S. QUIMBY

LEVERETT C. FELCH

EUGENE E. MUDGETT

EUGENE P. WALLACE

RYVERS F. AINGER

Town Officers—continued

State Road Agent	Trunk Line Patrolman
FRED O. MASON	FRED TAPPAN

State Road Patrolmen	
HARRY O. HALEY	RYVERS F. AINGER
WALTER S. TAPPAN	

Notch & Dale Road Agent
MOSES A. HALL

Town Road Agents	
HARRY H. SMITH	LEWIS C. ELLIOTT
ROSS M. GRAVES	

Auditors	
CHARLES R. FELLOWS	DOROTHY WEED
SUMNER B. CLARK	

Selectmen	
CARL S. DORR, 1 year	WALTER S. TAPPAN, 2 years
HARRY BLANCHARD, 3 years	

SCHOOL DISTRICT OFFICERS

Moderator
JOHN S. QUIMBY

Clerk
WILLIAM HEARD

Treasurer
ELMER B. HART

Truant Officer
LEVERETT C. FELCH

School Board	
LILLIAN T. HEARD	JULIA S. SMITH
ALBERT B. HOAG	

Superintendent
F. W. JACKSON

THE STATE OF NEW HAMPSHIRE

To the inhabitants of the Town of Sandwich, in the County of Carroll, in said State, qualified to vote in Town affairs. You are hereby notified to meet at the Town Hall in said town on Tuesday, the Eleventh Day of March next, at ten of the clock in the forenoon, to act upon the following subjects:

1. To choose all necessary town officers for the year ensuing.

2. To bring in your votes for the election of Delegates-at-Large, Alternate Delegates-at-Large, District Delegates, Alternate District Delegates to the National Conventions of the Democratic and Republican parties, to be held for the purpose of nominating party candidates for President and Vice-President of the United States.

3. To raise money to pay interest on School Fund note for the year ensuing.

4. To see if the town will vote to raise money for the support of the Library in addition to the amount required by law.

5. To see if the town will vote to raise money to pay the expense of decorating soldiers' graves.

6. To see if the town will vote to raise money for the observance of Old Home Week.

7. To see if the town will vote to raise money for the repair of the Notch and Dale road.

8. To see if the town will vote to raise money for the maintenance of the Trunk Line road.

9. To raise money for the maintenance of State Aid roads.

10. To see if the town will vote to raise money in

addition to the sum required by law to obtain State Aid for the construction of State road.

11. To raise money to make and repair highways and bridges and pass any vote relating thereto.

12. To see if the town will vote to raise money to help eradicate the White Pine Blister Rust.

13. To see if the town will vote to raise money to assist the Laconia Hospital.

14. To see if the town will vote to give the Town and Grange Fair Association the use of the Library grounds for their annual fair, with the right to build buildings and to otherwise improve the grounds.

15. To see what action the town will take relative to the question whether the State Aid road leading from Centre Sandwich to North Sandwich shall go by way of John S. Quimby's or by the way of Cyrus E. Angier and Clare E. George.

16. To raise such sums of money as may be necessary to pay town charges for the ensuing year.

17. To see if the town will vote to instruct the Selectmen to let the use of the Town Hall two nights a week, when needed, to Everett Merryfield for a term of five years.

18. To see if the town will vote to raise money to purchase fire protection.

19. To see if the town will vote to raise money to continue the permanent road at West Sandwich.

Given under our hands and seal this twenty-third day of February, in the year of our Lord, nineteen hundred and twenty-four.

CARL S. DORR,
WALTER S. TAPPAN,
HARRY BLANCHARD,
Selectmen of Sandwich.

Budget

State tax	\$3,000.00
County tax	4,000.00
Schools	10,000.00
Interest on School Fund Note	133.92
Memorial Day	50.00
Old Home Day	200.00
Library by Law	64.80
Library by Vote	400.00
White Pine Blister Rust	400.00
Highways and Bridges	8,000.00
Trunk Line maintenance	1,600.00
State Aid maintenance	1,500.00
To obtain State Aid	736.00
Town charges	1,000.00
Notch and Dale Road	400.00
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	\$31,484.72

Selectmen's Report

Summary Inventory April 1, 1923

Land and buildings, less exemptions	\$1,319,376.00
298 Horses	29,052.00
74 Oxen	6,650.00
344 Cows, less exemptions	14,730.00
58 Neat, less exemptions	2,432.00
86 Sheep	474.00
8 Hogs	80.00
258 Fowls	366.00
Vehicle, Sleds and Tools	1100.00
7 Portable Mills	3,950.00
4 Boats and Launches	600.00
Wood and Lumber	50,394.00
Municipal Bonds and Notes	100.00
Money on hand, at interest, or on deposit	15,504.00
Stock in trade	25,930.00
Mills and Machinery	1,700.00
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Total, exclusive of exemptions	1,472,438.00
Amount exempted to soldiers	5,900.00
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Total valuation	\$1,478,338.00

Appropriations for 1923

State tax	\$2,484.00
State tax on 468 polls	936.00
County tax	3,637.59
For Schools to June 30, 1924	11,964.38
Interest on school fund note	133.92
Library by law	78.00
Library by vote	400.00
Memorial Day	100.00
Old Home Day	200.00
Maintenance trunk line road	1200.00
Maintenance state aid roads	1250.00
Construction state aid road, by vote	624.00
Repair of Notch and Dale road	150.00
Repair of town roads and bridges	8000.00
To defray town charges	800.00
Part of 5 per cent	775.45

\$32,733.34

Tax rate \$2.06 on the hundred

Taxes committed to Mildred M. Blanchard, collector,	
Polls 468 and 19 soldiers	2,397.00
Property tax	30,336.24
Loss on account of rate	.10

\$32,733.34

Financial Statement

Assets

Cash in hands of Town Treas.	\$9,958.24	
Due from State for highways:		
Trunk Line maintenance	167.94	
State Aid, maintenance	351.54	
J. Alphonso Smith, hall rent for 1921	60.00	
Due from County:		
Supplies for Mrs. Longville and		
Mrs. Penniman	93.09	
Transportation of Emma Penni-		
man to County Farm	15.00	
	<hr/>	\$10,645.81

Liabilities

Balance dog license for 1923 due		
schools	\$133.30	
Balance due State highways:		
From State	519.48	
From Town	546.04	
Balance due Town highways	497.17	
School Fund note	2,232.00	
Balance Due Veteran Ass'n	69.37	
	<hr/>	\$3,997.36
Surplus January 31, 1924	\$6,648.45	
Surplus January 31, 1923	5,741.15	
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Increase of surplus	\$907.30	

CARL S. DORR,
WALTER S. TAPPAN,
HARRY BLANCHARD,
Selectmen.

List of Town Property

Town Hall	\$7,000.00
Furniture and equipment	600.00
Library land and building	17,500.00
Library fixtures and books	8,600.00
School houses	9,000.00
School books and furnishings	2,000.00
Highway buildings	250.00
Highway equipment	1,000.00
Fire apparatus	100.00
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	\$46,050.00

Town Clerk's Report

Licenses on 59 male dogs at		
\$2.00	\$118.00	
Licenses on 11 female dogs at		
\$5.00	55.00	
License on 1 female pup	2.50	
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Town Clerk's commission at 20c		14.20
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		\$161.30

Received taxes on 183 automobiles, Oct. 15, 1922, to Oct. 15, 1923	\$1,199.25
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Issued 167 resident hunting and fishing permits at \$1.00 each	167.00
Issued 58 non-resident fishing permits, at \$2.15 each	124.70

Dog license fees go for schools; automobile taxes go to town; fish and game permit fees go to the State Fish and Game Department.

CHARLES O. SMITH, Town Clerk.

Town Treasurer's Report

Nellies E. Russell, Treasurer, in account with Town of
Sandwich

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Received of Treasurer, 1922	\$10,436.52	
Received of Selectmen	13,560.34	
Received of Collector	32,759.50	
Received of Carroll County Trust Co., interest	161.71	
	<hr/>	\$56,918.07

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Paid State Tax	\$2,484.00	
Paid State Poll Tax	890.00	
Paid County Tax	3,637.59	
Paid Highways	19,936.57	
Paid Incidentals	4,150.07	
Paid Schools	14,062.64	
Paid Library	628.00	
Paid Paupers	371.66	
Paid Public Water Tubs	32.50	
Paid Bounties	110.40	
Paid Abatements	226.88	
Paid Memorial Day	171.31	
Paid Old Home Day	258.21	
	<hr/>	\$46,959.83
Cash on hand, Jan. 31, 1924	9,958.24	
	<hr/>	\$56,918.07

NELLIE E. RUSSELL, Treasurer.

RECEIPTS

From Local Taxes:

Additional taxes collected	\$26.26
Automobile taxes	1,307.39
Taxes for 1923, in full	32,733.24

\$34,066.89

From State for Roads:

State aid construction	150.00
Trunk line maintenance	1,642.31
State aid maintenance	1,750.55

\$3,542.86

From State for Other Purposes:

Insurance tax	\$12.00
National forest fire fund	43.87
Bounties	110.40
Fighting forest fires	303.88
Railroad tax	75.97
Savings bank tax	1,706.13

\$2,252.25

From Other Sources:

Hall rent	258.50
Conway Bank, interest on deposit	161.71
Dog licenses	161.30
Blanchard fund, for roads	1,474.07
Quimby fund, for roads	3,840.00

\$5,895.58

Receipts other than Current Revenue:

Unexpended balance from Veteran Association	69.37	
Squam Lake Improvement Ass'n for roads	502.00	
Quimby trustees refund on Library wiring	150.00	
Gravel	2.60	
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		723.97
Total receipts for year,		\$46,481.55
Cash on hand February 1, 1923		10,436.52
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Cash from all sources for year		\$56,918.07

SUMMARY OF PAYMENTS

General Government:

Town officers' salaries	1,093.75
Town officers' expenses	818.29
Town hall	578.83
Election and registration	24.50

2,515.37

Protection of persons and property:

Dog damage	28.00
Bounties	110.40
Police	10.00
Forest fires	827.40
White pine blister rust	400.00

\$1,375.80

Health:

Health officer	15.00
Vital statistics	6.75

21.75

Highways and bridges:

Public watering troughs	32.50
Repair of Notch and Dale road	169.00
Trunk Line maintenance	2,867.06
State Aid maintenance	3,677.02
Repair of town roads and bridges	3,427.29
Cutting bushes	521.64
Snow bills Feb. 1, 1923, to Jan. 31, 1924	2,150.35

\$12,844.86

Education:

Library	628.00	628.00
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Charities:

Town poor	263.57
County poor	108.09

371.66

Patriotic purposes:

Memorial Day	171.31
Old Home Day	258.21

429.52

Unclassified:

Abatements	226.88
Miscellaneous	214.05

440.93

New construction and improvements:

Blanchard highway	1,373.87
State road construction	4,427.95
West Sandwich road	1,455.89

\$7,257.71

Payments to Governmental Divisions:

State and county tax	7,011.59
Town school district	14,062.64

\$21,074.23

Total payments for all purposes	\$46,959.83
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Cash in treasury January 31, 1924	9,958.24
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\$56,918.07

DETAILED STATEMENT OF PAYMENTS

General Government:

Town officers' salaries:

Mildred M. Blanchard, tax col.	\$200.00
Mildred T. Blanchard, li- brarian	120.00
Carl S. Dorr, selectman	150.00
Walter S. Tappan, selectman	150.00
Harry Blanchard, selectman	150.00
Nellie E. Russell, town treas.	100.00
Charles O. Smith, town clerk	50.00
Harry H. Smith, road agent	25.00
Ross M. Graves, road agent	25.00
Lewis C. Elliott, road agent	25.00
Eugene E. Mudgett, dog officer	10.00
Auditors	9.00
Town clerk, auto permits	54.75
Carl S. Dorr, recording taxes and making collector's book	25.00

\$1,093.75

Town Officers' Expenses:

Meredith News Inventory Notice	\$1.00
B. C. Snyder Inventory No- tice	1.00
Carl S. Dorr, expenses to Manchester and Concord	55.00
W. P. Farmer, Assessors' Association	2.00
Harry Blanchard, services re-valuation	200.00
Carl S. Dorr, services re-valuation	200.00

Walter S. Tappan, services	
re-valuation	200.00
Carroll County telephone rentals	30.00
Edson C. Eastman, supplies	
and tax books	36.94
Charles S. Clark, services in	
re-valuation	20.00
Clarence R. Brown, services	
in re-valuation	2.00
Harry Blanchard, expenses	
to Manchester for select-	
man and tax collector	
to attend Assessors' and	
Collectors' Association,	
Dec. 5th and 6th	41.08
William W. Russell, stamps	
and supplies	19.77
Blanchard Ptg. Co., tax bills	9.50

\$818.29

Election and Registration:

Blanchard Ptg. Co., official		
ballots	24.50	24.50

Town Hall:

C. O. Smith, stove pipe	\$1.25
Ryvers Ainger, cleaning hall	29.58
Fuel	27.00
Carl S. Dorr, cleaning vault	
and copy of deed	1.97
Meredith Electric Light Co.	35.18
Cleveland Weed, repairs on hall	135.40

Heard's Insurance Co., in-		
surance on hall to Dec. 6,		
1926	273.45	
Ryvers Ainger, janitor	75.00	
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		\$578.83
Protection of Persons and Property:		
Police:		
Eugene Mudgett, policing		
Chautauqua	10.00	
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		\$10.00
Forest Fires:		
Daniel S. Watson, East Sand-		
wich fire	50.50	
Daniel S. Watson, Sandwich		
Notch	555.00	
Daniel S. Watson, Sandwich		
Notch	103.50	
Daniel S. Watson, East Sand-		
wich fire	26.80	
Daniel S. Watson, Squam		
Lake Road	27.60	
Miss E. Louise White fire	64.00	
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		\$827.40
Dog damage:		
Frank A. Bryer, 3 sheep and		
2 lambs killed		28.00
Bounties		
Francis Elliott, 3 bears	15.00	
Wesley Tewksbury, 1 bear.	5.00	

Carl Hill, 1 bob cat	20.00	
307 hedgehogs	70.40	
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		110.40
White Pine Blister Rust:		
State forester		400.00
Health and Sanitation:		
Dr. A. B. Hoag, services as		
health officer		15.00
Vital Statistics:		
Dr. A. B. Hoag, 9 births,		
11 deaths	5.00	
Thomas H. Stacy, D.D., 7		
marriages	1.75	
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		6.75

Highways and Bridges

Trunk Line Maintenance

Fred Tappan, Agent

Fred Tappan	\$982.82
Abram Tappan	61.06
Henry Tappan	181.25
Fred W. Tappan	29.12
Bernard Tilton	10.67
Edward Foster	52.67
Clarence Wakefield	75.00
Edwin Fogg	33.75
Harold Tilton	40.75
Frank Mudgett	9.00
Ross Graves	270.00

Guy Thompson	240.00	
Will Plummer	69.00	
Ed Ford	63.00	
Harry Wallace	195.00	
Everett Merryfield	205.50	
Thomas Horne	34.50	
Henry Manning	18.00	
Natt Burleigh	42.00	
Earle Peaslee	6.00	
Fred Mason	19.33	
Severance Bryant	8.89	
John Bryant	6.67	
Eugene Mudgett	3.00	
Irving Mudgett	6.00	
30 bags cement	34.50	
30 oak posts	7.50	
Lumber and spikes	20.40	
959 loads gravel	133.20	
Freight and carting	8.48	
	<hr/>	\$2,867.06

State Aid Maintenance

Fred O. Mason, Agent

Fred O. Mason	\$63.00
Eugene Wallace	87.67
Jesse Mudgett	36.00
Larkin Weed	12.00
J. A. Smith	1.35
Eugene Mudgett	15.00
Irving Mudgett	15.00
Will Plummer	27.00
Havelock Little	11.00
Frank Davis	9.00
Natt Burleigh	6.00

Frank Hanson	4.00	
Frank Tappan	24.00	
Wesley Burnham	30.00	
Bert Penniman	12.00	
Harry Wallace	36.00	
Everett Merryfield	35.34	
Guy Thompson	46.86	
Ryvers Ainger	6.00	
Frank Mudgett	9.00	
Andy Delano	9.00	
William Heard	1.70	
E. J. Bryant	.70	
F. M. Smith	.24	
F. R. Prescott, lumber	13.50	
	<hr/>	\$511.36

State Aid Maintenance
Ryvers F. Ainger, Agent
Center and Squam Lake Road

Ryvers Ainger	\$410.01	
Pliny Ainger	180.16	
Edgar Brown	7.67	
Philip Sturgis	24.00	
Geo. Scriggins	33.00	
Geo. Gault	6.00	
Irving Mudgett	13.00	
Eugene Wallace	6.00	
Harry Wallace	3.00	
William Stone	3.00	
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State Aid Maintenance

Harry O. Haley, Agent

Adams Bridge to Moultonboro Line

Harry O. Haley	\$532.47	
No. East Metal Culvert Co.	32.00	
George O. Cook	139.50	
Harry Blanchard, hard pan	4.50	
	<hr/>	\$708.47

State Aid Maintenance

Walter S. Tappan, Agent

W. S. Tappan, self, truck, teams and tools	\$824.50	
B. R. Chase	136.50	
H. B. Farrar	127.50	
Elmer Moody	106.00	
Gerald Atwood	100.50	
C. M. Brown	91.50	
T. Horne	73.50	
L. H. Currier and team	60.00	
Herbert Perkins and team	54.00	
Joseph Wilkins	52.50	
O. P. Hobbs, 520 loads of gravel	52.00	
S. B. Smith, self and team	46.50	
R. Smith	40.50	
Stanley Quimby	4.00	
Arthur Watson	1.85	
	<hr/>	\$1,771.35

Town Maintenance

Sandwich Notch and Dale road:

Moses A. Hall, Agent

Moses A. Hall, cutting bushes	
and repairs	147.00
Elmer S. Thompson, use of	
plow	4.00
Judson Brown	18.00

 \$169.00

West District

Harry H. Smith, Agent

Snow Bills, February to May, 1923

Marcellus Wallace	\$466.00
Coolidge, Brooks & Rogers	181.84
Herbert and Ralph Abbott	72.33
Lucian C. Skinner	13.17
Harry L. Burrows	32.73
J. Frank Martin	22.50
Harry H. Smith	41.15
John S. Quimby	1.50
W. H. Taylor	13.46
Max Weld	19.05
Eugene Martin	8.33
C. O. Smith	4.00
L. P. Martin	39.82
L. B. Chapman	2.00
Henry Manning	3.50
Elisha Mudgett	8.75
P. Sturgis	18.00
Jesse A. Mudgett	61.53
Walter C. Hodge	33.53
Ryvers F. Ainger	19.50

Leon A. Smith	46.33
C. J. Davis	2.67
Eugene E. Wallace	24.00
F. L. Mudgett	4.00
Herman M. Clark	4.33
Frank L. Hanson	19.50
Charles C. Cook	1.00
Lester Burrows	13.50
Karl E. Thompson	8.67
Norman F. Hodge	5.50
Leonard A. Smith	4.83
Arthur G. Thompson	104.17
Andy Delano	8.00
Reubin Hodge	8.67
Merle Cook	2.00
H. W. Thompson	2.33
Harry Wallace	10.50
Irving Mudgett	7.99
David Glover	3.00
Joseph Moulton	3.00
Ralph Blackey	27.00
Eugene Mudgett	18.76
Natt Burleigh	1.50
Moses Brown	6.00
Glenn Smith	2.00
George O. Cook	3.00
Will Stone	4.50
Charles Skinner	4.33

\$941.83

Some of the above Snow Bill belongs to the
North and East Districts

Summer Repairs

Harry H. Smith	\$235.18
Harry L. Burrows	163.00

Andy S. Delano	64.83	
Irving Mudgett	4.50	
Guy B. Thompson	60.28	
Eugene E. Mudgett	3.00	
Oliver Lee	1.00	
J. Frank Martin	18.00	
Everett Merryfield	14.00	
Johnson Lumber Co.	19.80	
Frank Smith	1.02	
James Beede	2.00	
Coolidge, Brooks & Rogers, plank	5.84	
Chas. B. Hoyt	1.60	
Wilfred Z. Plummer	13.44	
Amy Burrows	5.10	
Lester Burrows	3.00	
Luther Burrows	6.00	
Charles O. Smith	5.14	
Jeremiah Martin	9.00	
Levi Martin	46.00	
Frank Prescott	23.84	
John S. Quimby	2.00	
Arthur W. Avery	4.60	
O. J. Bruno	1.50	
White H. Penniman	9.00	
Back Bill Summer 1922	10.84	
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Cutting Bushes

Harry Smith	\$60.00	
Andy Delano	49.50	
Eugene Mudgett	16.50	
Irving Mudgett	12.00	
W. Z. Plummer	9.00	
	<hr/>	\$147.00

East District
 Ross M. Graves, Agent
Snow Bills, Feb. 1 to May, 1923

Victor Whiting	\$11.65
E. Demick	6.00
Clifton Goodwin	1.00
Aubrey Vittum	46.50
Archie Palmer	1.65
Harold Tilton	1.65
James Prescott	1.65
William McClosky	98.33
S. B. Smith	19.11
Roy Berry	30.83
I. H. Graves	13.84
Ryvers Ainger	17.34
Paul Hanson	10.00
George Cook	13.33
Moses Brown	13.67
Edgar Brown	9.50
Paul Tibbetts	2.33
Henry Tibbetts	8.67
Harry Blanchard	6.00
Ralph Blackey	23.00
R. C. Penniman	10.81
W. R. Tibbetts	11.00
Charles Skinner	1.33
Eugene Wallace	28.16
Ross M. Graves	50.65
Harry Wallace	29.83
William Stone	22.45
F. O. Mason	16.37
Herbert Abbott	4.00
Max Weld	6.00
F. A. Bryer	1.15

Havelock Little	8.50	
Frank Tilton	91.37	
Watson Beach	7.33	
Frank Tappan	15.82	
Abram Tappan	6.00	
Fred Tappan	6.00	
Henry Tappan	7.50	
Herbert Perkins	6.00	
Ralph Abbott	59.06	
O. G. Smith	15.00	
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		\$740.08

Summer Repairs

Carrol Brown	\$34.50
Ross M. Graves	288.50
Herbert Abbott	3.00
Geo. H. Smith	48.00
Edwin Foster	3.00
Chas. Skinner	4.50
Fred Tappan	3.00
Will Prescott	93.00
Chas. Hodge	3.66
Chas. Whiting	3.00
Frank Harvey	1.82
Herold Tilton	3.00
Frank Davis	3.00
Jesse Mudgett	6.00
Ed Ford	10.32
Herman Tilton	6.00
Walter Hutchins	12.00
Clarence Graves	24.00
A. Batchelder	7.98
F. E. Tilton	27.00
Abram Tappan	119.00

I. H. Graves	63.60
F. R. Prescott	108.16
Will Vittum	32.00
Roy Barry	3.00
F. O. Mason	4.50
Thomas Horn	95.00
Roland Smith	9.64
Sam Smith	21.98
A. E. Lee	.60
W. E. Demick	3.00
Will Robinson	.70
A. Corliss	15.00
Henry Tappan	9.00
Albert Gale	28.50
Herbert Perkins	30.00
Wm. McCloskey	16.40
Earl Peaslee	2.00
James Prescott	38.00
Frank Hanson, painting steel bridge	33.50
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	\$1218.86

Cutting Bushes

Frank Davis	\$6.00
James Prescott	36.00
Frank Tappan	62.64
William McClosky	15.00
Ross Graves	10.50
Abram Tappan	22.50
I. H. Graves	24.00
George Smith	21.00
Clarence Graves	10.50
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	\$208.14

North District

Lewis C. Elliott, Agent

Snow Bills, Feb. 1 to May, 1923

Henry Manning	\$10.50
Lewis C. Elliott	63.00
Boyd Maxwell	99.00
Wesley W. Tewksbury	40.50
Chas. J. Davis	4.50
Leon H. Currier	42.00
Francis G. Elliott	18.00
Elmer Elliott	57.00
Clarence Plummer	7.50
Joseph J. Cartland	44.70
Chas. R. Fellows	12.50
Jerry Martin	18.00
Wilber G. Quimby	28.16
Daniel S. Watson	11.31
Walter F. Taylor	3.36
Harold Elliott	7.50
Ralph Peaslee	1.00
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	\$468.53

Summer Repairs

Lewis C. Elliott	\$518.30
Francis G. Elliott	219.00
Daniel S. Watson	98.50
Wilber G. Quimby	84.00
John M. Campbell	58.50
Walter S. Tappan	31.46
Elmer Elliott	6.00
Leon H. Currier	60.00
G. Roland Smith	18.00
Ross Graves	116.08
Guy Thompson	15.33

William Heard	4.75	
Lucian C. Skinner	.50	
Howard Currier	3.00	
Clarence Brown	6.00	
Harry A. Atwood	1.50	
	<hr/>	\$1,240.92

Cutting Bushes

Lewis C. Elliott	\$52.50	
Francis Elliott	49.50	
Wilber Quimby	48.00	
John Campbell	16.50	
	<hr/>	\$166.50

GENERAL EXPENSES DEPARTMENT

Public Watering Troughs:

Moses A. Hall, March 1,	
1923, to March 1, 1924	2.50
George H. Smith, March 1,	
1922, to March 1, 1924	6.00
Larkin D. Weed, March 1,	
1922, to March 1, 1924	6.00
Wilfred Z. Plummer, March	
1, 1922, to March 1, 1924	6.00
Dora P. Wing, March 1,	
1923, to March 1, 1924	3.00
Heirs of Mrs. D. D. Slade,	
March 1, 1923, to March	
1, 1924	3.00
Frank A. Bryer, March 1	
1923, to March 1, 1924	3.00
Walter L. Taylor, March 1,	
1923, to March 1, 1924	3.00
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	32.50

One road machine	122.00	
	<hr/>	154.50
Total Maintenance expense		\$12,732.95
Education:		
Katharine F. Bryer, for library by law	78.00	
Katharine F. Bryer, for library by vote	400.00	
Katharine F. Bryer, for new books	150.00	
	<hr/>	628.00
Charities:		
Walter S. Tappan for transportation of Harry Perkins to County Farm	\$15.00	
Tappan and Wilkins, care of body found in forest fire	6.00	
Carroll County Farm, board of Alonzo Carter	208.57	
Dr. Remick, medical attention and transportation of Jane Merrill	32.00	
Wilfred Z. Plummer, keeping tramp	2.00	
	<hr/>	263.57
County Poor:		
Walter S. Tappan, transportation of Emma Penniman to County Farm	15.00	
William Heard, supplies for Mrs. Longville and Emma Penniman	93.09	
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Patriotic Purposes and Recreation:

Wm. H. Scriggins for Memorial Day	171.31
Mildred T. Blanchard for Old Home Day	\$258.21

\$429.52

Abatements:

Mamie Bennett, pd. in Tamworth	\$5.00
Ellen J. Brown, res. Madison	\$5.00
Mary Bullard, res. Boston	5.00
Leroy DeMarsh, res. New York	5.00
Ellen Delano	5.00
Edwin Demick	5.00
Cora Elliott, res. Boston	5.00
Albert Gale, pensioned soldier	3.00
Ebba Garland, res. Brookline	5.00
John Gilman, on cow	.70
Richard Grey, ex-soldier	2.00
Harold Merryfield, ex-soldier	2.00
Mike McMan, paid in Bangor, Me.	5.00
George Pierce, over 70	5.00
Bessie Pierce, res. California	5.00
Vivian Smith, res. California	5.00
General Smith	5.82
Charles S. Marston	42.08
Charles Stevenson, paid in Tamworth	5.00
George Scriggins	5.00
John Weed, paid in Dorchester	5.00
Lucy Weed, res. Dorchester	5.00
Manilla Whitney, res. Tamworth	3.00

Publishers Paper Co.	10.30	
Lawrence Woodward, paid in Tamworth	5.00	
Evelyn Woodward, paid in Tamworth	5.00	
Elmer Moody, ex-soldier	2.00	
Jennie Mudgett	5.00	
William A. Bruce, error in taxes	.50	
Edward W. Bennett, paid in Tamworth	5.00	
Daniel S. Watson, error in taxes	14.42	
Henry M. Quimby, error in taxes	2.06	
Nellie G. Atwood, error in 1921 taxes	24.00	
Jesse A. Mudgett	15.00	
	<hr/>	\$226.88

Unclassified:

Blanchard Printing Co., Town Reports and sta- tionery	\$179.05	
C. S. Dorr, Walter Tappan and Harry Blanchard for compiling Town Report	35.00	
	<hr/>	\$214.05

NEW CONSTRUCTION AND IMPROVEMENTS

Town Construction

West Sandwich Road

Built in Co-operation with Squam Lake Improvement

Ass'n and Quimby Trustees

Fred O. Mason, Agent

Fred O. Mason	\$115.67
Eugene Wallace	105.50
Henry Wallace	192.67
Frank Tappan	54.00
Will Plummer	50.17
Wesley Burnham	54.67
Robert Penniman	45.00
Otis Cook	21.00
Andrew Carter	7.50
Everett Merryfield	188.67
Frank Mudgett	53.17
Havelock Little	45.00
A. Delano	39.00
Ryvers Ainger	126.00
J. A. Smith, drawing culverts	5.00
Irving Mudgett	1.50
Natt Burleigh	35.17
Frank Davis	20.17
Harry Burrows	21.00
Guy Thompson	44.67
William Heard, dynamite and supplies	32.83
Harry Atwood, sharpening tools	3.00
Culverts	184.53
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	\$1,445.89

Blanchard Fund Road

Fred O. Mason, Agent

Fred O. Mason	\$96.34
Eugene Wallace	92.02

Jesse Mudgett	89.00
J. A. Smith	161.66
Guy Thompson	160.00
Frank Mudgett	41.50
Will Stone	49.67
Frank Tappan	40.00
Albert Brownly	37.00
Walter Atwood	2.17
Watson Beach	2.17
Ryvers Ainger	3.00
Lester Hughes	11.50
Phil Sturgis	44.50
G. Scriggins	43.00
M. T. Whitney	29.50
Everett Merryfield	166.00
John S. Quimby	11.50
Carl Thompson	39.33
Harry Wallace	4.50
Natt Burleigh	35.17
W. Z. Plummer	3.00
Eugene Mudgett	6.00
Irving Mudgett	4.50
Geo. Cook	13.50
Ed. Ambrose	.20
Ed. Bryant	.92
Culverts	186.22
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	\$1,373.87

STATE AID CONSTRUCTION

Near North Sandwich

Walter S. Tappan, Agent

W. S. Tappan, self, truck, teams	
and tools	\$982.50
H. B. Farrar,	150.00

S. B. Smith and team	147.00
C. M. Brown	126.00
B. R. Chase	121.00
R. Smith	118.50
Elmer Moody	117.00
T. Horne	100.50
O. P. Hobbs, 942 loads gravel	94.20
Gerald Atwood	75.00
Earle Peaslee	45.00
Stanley Quimby	30.00
W. Z. Plummer and team	30.00
A. E. Lee, for dynamite	12.50
Joseph Wilkins	9.00
Walter Bryant, team	9.00
Asa Bryant	9.00
James Plummer	6.00
Clarence Plummer	6.00
W. S. Tappan, 15 ft. fuse and 150 exploders	6.00
W. S. Tappan, 5 lb. spikes	.30
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	\$2,194.50

Near Centre Sandwich, towards North Sandwich

Fred O. Mason, Agent

Fred O. Mason	\$224.33
Eugene Wallace	226.17
Jesse Mudgett	69.00
Guy Thompson	172.67
J. A. Smith	163.02
Frank Mudgett	40.17
Will Stone	37.17
Frank Tappan	67.17
Phil Sturgis	32.67
Harry Wallace	6.00

Lester Huse	29.00	
Geo. Scriggins	28.17	
M. F. Whitney	26.00	
Everett Merryfield	110.34	
Geo. Cook	7.50	
Albert Brownlie	37.17	
John S. Quimby	9.00	
Durward Adams	50.00	
Carl Thompson	4.50	
Eugene Mudgett	9.00	
Natt Burleigh	3.00	
Harry Atwood	3.00	
Ernest Mason	243.00	
Will Clark	133.90	
Edward Foster	60.33	
A. E. Purrington	58.50	
Will Plummer	18.00	
Henry Tibbetts	9.00	
Havelock Little	6.00	
Irving Mudgett	6.00	
Paul Tibbetts	6.00	
Wesley Burnham	4.50	
Ralph Blackey	6.00	
E. J. Bryant	2.19	
Lumber	101.78	
William Heard	223.20	
	<hr/>	\$2,233.45

Payments to Governmental Divisions:

State, 445 poll taxes	\$890.00	
County tax	3637.59	
State tax	2484.00	
Town School district	14,062.64	
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Total payments		\$46,959.83

REPORT OF THE TRUST FUNDS OF THE TOWN OF SANDWICH, N. H., ON JANUARY 31, 1924

Date of Creation 1910	TRUST FUNDS—PURPOSE OF CREATION	HOW INVESTED	Amount of Principal	Rate of Interest	Balance of Income on hand at Beginning of Year	Income During year	Expended During Year	Balance of Hand at End of Year
Feb. 3, 1910	William Burlingh, Cemetery Fund	New Hampshire Savings Bank	\$107.43	4 p. c.	\$12.46	\$4.76	\$4.76	\$12.46
Feb. 8, 1910	Orvilla P. Worral	"	210.55	"	3.32	8.12	8.12	3.32
Feb. 8, 1910	Chas. Blanchard	"	100.00	"		4.00	4.00	
Feb. 8, 1911	Susan A. Sherman	"	150.00	"		6.00	6.00	
Dec. 26, 1911	Samuel Chase	"	500.00	"		20.00	20.00	
Dec. 26, 1914	Alfred M. Marston	"	500.00	"		20.00	20.00	
Sept. 26, 1914	Eliza B. Atwood	"	25.00	"	3.08	1.04	3.08	1.04
Nov. 24, 1916	Mrs. James E. Mudgett	"	25.00	"		1.00	1.00	
Jan. 3, 1917	Chas. H. White	Amoskeag	1000.00	"	244.64	55.39	3.00	297.03
Jan. 27, 1917	Mrs. Henry Hanson	New Hampshire	25.00	"		1.00	1.00	
Feb. 14, 1917	Mrs. Mary Peaslee	"	100.00	"		4.00	4.00	
Feb. 14, 1918	Mrs. Nellie Nichol	"	100.00	"		4.00	4.00	
Feb. 4, 1918	Mrs. Emma Cox	"	25.00	"		1.00	1.00	
Feb. 4, 1918	Misses Mason	"	100.00	"		4.00	4.00	
Sept. 20, 1920	Geo. W. Thompson	"	220.00	"		7.60	7.60	
Jan. 1, 1921	Wilson D. George	"	150.40	"		7.00	7.00	
Oct. 22, 1922	Walter D. H. Hill, Cemetery Fund	"	200.00	"		8.00	2.00	11.00
Mar. 25, 1921	William B. Fellows	New Hampshire Savings Bank	100.00	"	5.00	4.00	4.00	
April 1, 1921	Mrs. Hartwell Smith	"	80.00	"		1.60	1.60	
June 6, 1922	Chas. W. Donovan	"	100.00	"		4.00	4.00	
Aug. 1, 1922	Nellie Hodge	"	25.00	"				
Nov. 3, 1923	Frank B. Watson	"	100.00	"		4.00	4.00	
Jan. 3, 1923	Erastus P. Jewell, Library Fund	"	500.00	"		20.00	20.00	120.00
Dec. 30, 1913	Miss Mabel Sturges, at maturity for schools	War Saving Stamps—Redeemed	100.00	"	20.00			
Sept. 1, 1913	Chas. Blanchard, Library Fund	Deposited Amoskeag Savings Bank	4000.00	"		169.53	169.53	
May 1, 1920	" " Highway Fund	Government Bond	31352.00	"		1541.31	1541.31	
" " " "	" " " "	Municipal and Government Bonds	1000.00	"		55.00	55.00	
Jan. 31, 1918	School Fund Note	Currier Place	2332.00	"		133.92	133.92	
May 1, 1920	Chas. Blanchard Highway Fund	Town of Sandwich	1211.73	"		53.64	53.64	
		New Hampshire Savings						

WILLIS B. MARSTON,
ELMER B. HART,
WILLIAM HEARD,
Trustees.

Auditors' Report

February 11, 1924

We, the auditors of the town of Sandwich, have this day examined the accounts of the selectmen, road agents, town treasurer, treasurer of the library trustees, school board treasurer, treasurer of the Veterans' Association, treasurer of the trustees of trust funds, treasurer of the Old Home Week Association, and find them correctly cast and properly vouched, and find in the hands of the town treasurer, Nellie E. Russell, \$9,958.24; Katharine F. Bryer, treasurer of the library trustees, \$111.79; Elmer B. Hart, treasurer of the School Board, \$8,782.37; William H. Scriggins, treasurer of the Veterans' Association, nothing; treasurer of the trustees of the Trust Funds, \$444.85; Mildred T. Blanchard, treasurer of the Old Home Week Association, \$3.08.

CHARLES R. FELLOWS,

DOROTHY WEED, Auditors.

Wentworth Library

Receipts

Balance brought forward from Wiring Fund	\$75.00
Raised by vote	400.00
Raised by law	78.00
Interest on Jewell Fund ..	20.00
Interest on Blanchard Fund:	
July	\$84.53
October	85.00
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	169.53
Gift from Quimby Fund for purchase of books	150.00
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	\$892.53

Expenditures

Meredith Electric Light Co., for year	\$27.16
Geo. Gault, services as janitor and work on wood	82.55
Wood for year	96.00
Work (cleaning, etc.)	22.00
Express, postage and supplies	7.18
Magazines (13 for year)	37.50
Mildred Blanchard, librarian	180.00
A. H. Hall, books	215.14
A. H. Hall, books from Quimby Fund gift	113.21
Balance on hand of Wiring appropriation	75.00
Balance of Quimby Fund for books on hand	36.79
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	\$892.53

KATHARINE F. BRYER, Treasurer.

KATHARINE F. BRYER,

JESSE L. AMBROSE,

JAMES S. ROBERTS, Trustees.

Sandwich Veterans Association

Receipts

Balance from 1922	\$71.31	
Appropriation for 1923	100.00	
	<hr/>	\$171.31

Expenditures

Maud Smith, filling 40 baskets	\$ 2.00	
Ladies' Aid dinners for band and speaker	13.50	
Dodge-Stevens Co., flags	13.94	
George A. Weed, oration	15.00	
Center Harbor Band	57.50	
Balance in hands of Town	69.37	
	<hr/>	\$171.31

WILLIAM H. SCRIGGINS, Treasurer.

Old Home Week Association

Receipts

Appropriation for 1923	\$200.00	
Balance from 1922	58.21	
	<hr/>	\$258.21

Expenditures

Center Harbor Band	\$75.00	
Aug. 22, Temple Quartet	60.00	
Aug. 22, St. Clair's Orchestra	35.00	
Aug. 22, Sports Committee	20.00	
Aug. 20, Blanchard Printing Co.	16.00	
Aug. 20, Blanchard Printing Co.	13.25	
Aug. 20, Blanchard Printing Co.	9.75	
Aug. 19, Old Home Sunday, Rev. Jos. Simpson	10.00	
Aug. 24, Ida M. Hanson, entertain- ing Mr. and Mrs. Simpson	5.50	
Aug. 24, Mrs. B. P. Child, reading	5.00	
Aug. 24, Lillian T. Heard, stamps	5.63	
	<hr/>	\$255.13
Balance on hand		<hr/> \$3.08

THE STATE OF NEW HAMPSHIRE

To the inhabitants of the School District of Sandwich in the County of Carroll, qualified to vote in district affairs. You are hereby notified to meet at the Town Hall on the eighth day of March, 1924, at two o'clock in the afternoon, to act upon the following subjects:

1. To choose a moderator for the ensuing year.
2. To choose a clerk for the ensuing year.
3. To choose a treasurer for the ensuing year.
4. To choose a member of the school board for the ensuing three years.
5. To choose one or more auditors for the ensuing year.
6. To determine the salaries of all the district officers for the ensuing year.
7. To determine if the district will appropriate the sum of \$5.00 on each \$1,000.00 of the equalized valuation, in order to secure State aid for the fiscal year beginning July 1, 1924.
8. To determine what sum of money the district will raise and appropriate for the alterations and equipment of schoolhouses.
9. To determine what sum of money the district will appropriate to pay premium on insurance.

10. To determine if the district will vote to make any alterations in the report of the school board, relating to the amount of money required for the support of schools and payment of statutory obligations.

11. To see if the district will authorize the school board to sell the Fellows and Red Hill schoolhouses.

12. To transact any business that may legally come before said meeting.

Given under our hand and seal, this sixth day of February, nineteen hundred and twenty-four.

LILLIAN T. HEARD,
JULIA SHERMAN SMITH,
ALBERT B. HOAG,

School Board of Sandwich.

Superintendent's Report

To the Citizens of Sandwich:—

I hereby submit my third annual report as superintendent of schools, it being the fifth in the series of such reports.

Schools Stand Well

During the year Arithmetic and Spelling tests have been given to many eighth grades in New Hampshire. These tests were given in Springfield, Mass., in 1846. The arithmetic was given in New Hampshire exactly as it was in Springfield. The spelling words were replaced by words of equal difficulty taken from lists used today. The pupils in Springfield averaged 15 years, 6 months; the New Hampshire pupils averaged 13 years and 6 months. Springfield schools were among the best in those days. Comparing the results, we find that in Springfield in 1846 the pupils averaged 21.41 per cent in arithmetic and 40.65 per cent in spelling. In New Hampshire last fall the pupils, though two years younger, averaged 49.26 per cent in arithmetic and 67.24 per cent in spelling. In Sandwich the eighth grades averaged 47.5 per cent in the arithmetic and 77 per cent in spelling. We are close to the state average in arithmetic and considerably ahead in spelling. We are a long way ahead of the schools in Springfield in 1846.

Rural Schools Gain in New Hampshire

In 1918 the children in many poor towns had 70 days schooling to the city child's 100. Last year they

had 95 to the city's 100. In 1918, one teacher in five in the one-room rural schools was equal in education, experience and training to the average city or village teacher. Last year the ratio was one to two. In Sandwich this year, one of our elementary teachers came as a recent graduate from Keene Normal School. Three others attended school at Plymouth Normal during last summer. In the Quimby School, one comes as a recent graduate from Framingham Normal School in Massachusetts and the other, a graduate from University of New Hampshire, spent several weeks during the summer in preparation for special work. All this shows a live professional spirit among our local teachers.

Repairs

The improvement of school property has not been forgotten. Screens have been provided for several schools. New heating arrangements have been installed at the Center Schools and a sheltered passage provided to the toilets. A cement platform in front is covered with a porch protecting the front door.

The superintendent is anxious that all school buildings in use be put in model condition, with proper heating and ventilating systems and sanitary toilets. Slate blackboards are very much needed in several buildings.

Quimby School

It is a cause for delight and rejoicing that the trustees of the Alfred Quimby Fund decided to establish a high school in Sandwich to be known as the Quimby School. The school opened for first and second year pupils in September, 1923, and secured an enrollment

of twenty. Courses in agriculture and farm mechanics are given for the boys and domestic arts for the girls. At the same time courses are offered in such subjects as English, French, history and business practices which fit pupils to go to the University of New Hampshire if they desire. Best of all, this school looks to the fitting of boys and girls for successful and happy lives in the home town. As a typical example, two boys have become especially interested in the forge work of the farm mechanics course and wish to follow up this kind of work. Among the girls should be those who would become thrifty home-makers and some who would later train as teachers to fill the vacancies in our rural schools.

We wish to extend special thanks to the trustees who have spared no pains to provide a school home and all necessary equipment. Here is a set of buildings where the practical arts work may be carried on under very ideal conditions. Adjoining land may be utilized for experimental purposes in the spring. This is the only school in Carroll County offering a course in agriculture—the most fundamental industry in our national life.

It has been necessary to close Durgin School because of lack of pupils. It is much to be regretted that families cannot be found in this section whose children would fill this school. If we are to have a live town, we must have families and growing children. Fields without inhabitants are barren wastes.

I still appreciate the co-operation of the School Board, teachers and citizens of Sandwich. We must work together to raise our percentage of attendance and boost our schools still higher. The following pupils

had perfect record of attendance for the year ending June 30, 1923.

Martha Weed—Durgin School.
Elizabeth Weed—Durgin School.
Leila F. Cram—East Sandwich.
Elwin Graves—East Sandwich.
Dorothy Graves—East Sandwich.
Ellsworth Smith—Center Grammar.
Rosalie Quimby—North Sandwich.
Orrin Tilton—Lower Corner.

Respectfully submitted,
F. W. JACKSON,
Superintendent of Schools.

February 1, 1924.

Report of School Board

We, the School Board of the District of Sandwich, hereby submit the following report for the year beginning July 1, 1922, and ending June 30, 1923:

Receipts

Cash on hand July 1, 1922	\$494.45
Amount of \$5.00 tax on the equalized valuation (\$1,586,323.00)	7931.62
Amount to correct error by Selectmen of 1922—deficiency of appropriation	1103.38
Books and supplies	450.00
High school tuitions	660.00
District officers' salaries	202.00
Repairs of schoolhouses	500.00

Per capita tax	232.00
Flags and appurtenances	40.00
Dog licenses	137.80
Interest on school fund note	133.92
Insurance	15.00
Elementary school tuitions	144.00
Quimby Fund trustees	700.00
Refunds	15.25
State Aid	74.26

Total receipts from July 1, 1922, to June 30, 1923	\$12,833.68
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Payments

Salaries of district officers	\$202.00
Superintendent's excess salary	210.00
Expenses of administration	68.02
Teachers' salaries	5,763.40
Text books and supplies	382.58
Flags and appurtenances	8.24
Other expenses of instruction	8.93
Janitor service	238.29
Fuel	256.75
Janitors' supplies	27.05
Minor repairs and expenses	1,346.42
Medical inspection	88.00
Transportation of pupils	1,116.80
High school tuitions	588.38
Other special activities	15.00
Heard's Insurance Agency	20.00
New equipment	103.88
Tax for state-wide supervision	232.00
Payments of bills from previous years	164.23

Total payments	\$10,839.97
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Cash on hand June 30, 1923	1,193.71
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Grand total	\$12,833.68
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Assets, June 30, 1923

Cash on hand	\$1,993.71
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Liabilities, June 30, 1923

None

This is to certify that I have examined the accounts of the School District of Sandwich, and found them correct.

WILLIAM HEARD, Auditor.

The above is a report of the receipts and payments of the last fiscal school year, beginning July 1, 1922, and ending June 30, 1923, of the School District of Sandwich and is in accordance with the State Laws.

Following is a detailed report of the expenditures:

Salaries of District Officers

Albert B. Hoag	\$60.00
Mrs. Louise H. Lee	50.00
Mrs. Julia S. Smith	50.00
Elmer B. Hart	25.00
William Heard	2.00

\$187.00

Expenses of Administration

F. W. Jackson	\$53.30
Elmer B. Hart	11.30
William Heard	2.00
R. E. Lane	1.42

\$68.02

Teachers' Salaries

Mrs. Maude Smith	\$900.00
Miss Belle Forbush	750.00
“ Alice Hoag	684.00
“ Ethel Smith	684.00
“ Elizabeth Gillis	190.00
“ Lillian Davis	64.60
“ Helen Rolfe	49.40
“ Elsie Floyd	38.00
“ Ruth Grieve	19.00
“ Elizabeth Hounsell	57.00
Harold Thompson	76.00
Leroy de Marsh	494.00
Mrs. Flora Haley	703.00
Miss Mabel Quimby	566.20
“ Dorothy Thumuth	174.80
“ Beatrice Doughty	180.40
Mrs. Beatrice Burrows	133.00

\$5,763.40

Books and Supplies

Silver, Burdett Co.	\$10.83
Milton Bradley & Co.	33.26
D. C. Heath & Co.	29.52
F. W. Jackson	4.92
Edward E. Babb & Co.	120.95
American Book Co.	14.86
Macmillan & Co.	5.90
E. J. Bryant	.25
Rowe, Peterson & Co.	10.01
Kenney Brothers & Wolkins	6.26
W. B. Ranney & Co.	5.75
Hinds, Hayden & Elderidge	16.70
Houghton, Mifflin & Co.	21.92

Congregational Publishing Society	3.20
Ideal Book Builders	2.00
Arlo Publishing Co.	19.50
G. W. Lewis Publishing Co.	4.70
Ginn & Co.	3.17
Ellis Publishing Co.	3.00
World Book Co.	7.72
J. L. Hammet Co.	14.12
Little, Brown & Co.	44.04

\$382.58

Other Expenses of Instruction

March Brothers	\$3.84
John C. Winston	1.09
W. T. Lance	4.00

\$8.93

Flags and Appurtenances

Kenney Brothers and Wolkins	\$4.72
Edward E. Babb Co.	3.52

\$8.24

Janitor Service

Haven Tibbetts	\$3.00
Walter Burrows	11.70
Mrs. Marcellus Wallace	3.69
Ethel Smith	26.00
Mrs. Eugene Martin	2.00
Mrs. Harry Wallace	2.50
William Nelson	22.00
Frances Wallace	3.00
Edison Taylor	32.00

Ralph Peaslee	16.00
Walter and Austin Burrows	39.20
Luther Burrows	32.50
Leroy DeMarsh	10.00
Rosealie Quimby	5.00
John Lee	4.80
James Plummer	14.90
William Prescott	1.50
Harold Thompson	2.00
Mrs. William Stone	4.00
Maude Smith	.50
Gladys Wallace	2.00
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	\$238.29

Fuel

C. R. Fellows	36.00
Jesse Ambrose	49.25
C. S. Dorr	27.00
Clifton Goodwin	8.50
Charles MacGregor	3.00
Mrs. Amy Burrows	33.25
Aubrey Vittum	35.00
Edwin Atwood	8.00
Walter Bryant	16.50
Eugene Wallace	6.00
Frank Tilton	10.50
Harold Thompson	3.75
William Nelson	2.00
Harry Blanchard	16.00
E. J. Bryant	2.00
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	\$256.75

Janitors' Supplies

Edward E. Babb & Co.	\$9.62
E. J. Bryant	4.25
F. M. Smith	4.58
F. W. Jackson	8.00
J. A. Sullivan	.60
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	\$27.05

Minor Repairs and Expenses

John Bryant	\$120.75
Walter Bryant	151.30
Severance Bryant	110.25
John Stocker	148.75
Clarence Brown	28.00
Levi Martin	5.00
Frederick Ladd	6.00
Howard Stevenson	38.00
South Tamworth Industries	1.56
A. B. Hoag	7.50
Aubrey Vittum	282.94
L. D. Bartlett & Son	263.61
J. B. Cover & Co.	124.00
A. E. Lee & Co.	13.98
E. J. Bryant	5.50
Ed. Atwood	2.00
F. M. Smith	4.28
Charles MacGregor	3.50
Norman Hodge	1.50
Everett Merryfield	5.75
Mrs. Flora Haley	1.75
Miss Ethel Smith	5.15
Mrs. Georgianna Perkins	2.00
Mrs. Alice Brown	2.00

David Knowles	6.00
Charles O. Smith	5.35

\$1,346.42

Transportation of Pupils

Mrs. Blanche Tibbetts	\$360.00
Miss Ethel Smith	216.00
Mrs. Levi Martin	280.00
Mrs. Marcellus Wallace	260.80

\$1,116.80

High School Tuitions

New Hampton Literary Institute	\$73.33
Tilton Seminary	110.00
Ashland Special School District	55.00
Laconia Public Schools	106.40
Meredith School District	216.15
Plymouth School District	27.50

\$588.38

New Equipment

F. W. Jackson	\$11.11
New England Slate & Blackboard Co.	30.12
Mabel Quimby	15.00
David Knowles	3.00
John Chick & Son	.35
Kenney Brothers & Wolkins	24.75
Edward E. Babb & Co.	5.43
Elmer Hart	1.77
F. M. Smith	6.65
I. A. Forrest	5.70

\$103.88

Payments of Bills from Previous Years

Macmillan Co.	\$.15
L. C. Felch	10.00
W. T. Lance	4.00
American Book Co.	133.08
Ralph Peaslee	10.00
Everett Merryfield	5.00
Mrs. Alice Brown	2.00

\$164.23

The following is a partial report of the receipts and expenditures of the present school year, beginning July 1, 1923, and ending June 30, 1924.

Receipts

\$5.00 tax on the equalized valuation	\$7244.72
Repairs of schoolhouses	500.00
Salaries of District Officers	202.00
High school tuitions	825.00
Per capita tax	230.00
Books and supplies	450.00
Flags and appurtenances	40.00
Amount recommended by school board over	
\$5.00 tax to meet budget	1,369.28
State Aid rebate	770.28
Dog licenses	162.00
Interest on School Fund note	133.92

Total estimated receipts \$11,927.20

Cash balance, July 1, 1923 \$1,993.71

Grand total \$13,920.91

Payments

Beginning July 1, 1923, and ending Feb. 4, 1924	
Superintendent's excess salary	\$294.12
Salaries of District Officers	202.00
Expenses of administration	31.69
Teachers' salaries	2,688.18
Books and supplies	252.05
Janitor service	116.55
Fuel	241.30
Janitors' supplies	4.67
Minor repairs and expenses	42.57
High school tuitions	35.00
Transportation	728.00
Other special activities	15.84
Alterations of old buildings	470.52
New equipment	265.54
Per capita tax	230.00
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Total payments, to Feb. 4, 1924	\$5,618.03

SCHOOL BUDGET

Annual report of School Board to district, stating amount of money needed for the support of schools and statutory requirements.

The following is a statement of the amount of money recommended for the support of schools, and the payment of statutory obligations, for the ensuing fiscal school year, and is the smallest amount that will entitle the district to State aid.

Amount of \$5.00 tax on the equalized valuation (\$1,448,944.00)	\$7,244.72
Salaries of District Officers	187.00
Superintendent's excess salary	325.00

Truant Officer	15.00
Expenses of administration	75.00
High School tuitions	1500.00
Insurance	100.00
Alterations of school buildings	300.00
New equipment	150.00
Per capita tax	222.00

\$10,118.72

We fully appreciate the co-operation of the citizens, parents and pupils, during the past year, and especially of those who so kindly and willingly gave their time to improve the school property.

Our school buildings are in excellent repair and by small expenditures from time to time can be kept in a satisfactory condition. The greatest present need, is an increased wood space, necessitated by the large amount of fuel required on account of the lengthened school year, and by the addition of such space, it will reduce the fuel expense to the minimum, by purchasing and housing green wood for use the following year.

We would urge our pupils to continue their elementary studies, until graduated, and then enter The Quimby School, thereby obtaining higher education. The future welfare and government of Sandwich depend upon the coming generations, and by an advanced course of study they are better prepared for the responsibilities of life.

LILLIAN T. HEARD,
JULIA SHERMAN SMITH,
ALBERT B. HOAG,

School Board of Sandwich.

School Treasurer's Report

Treasurer's Report Ending January 31, 1924

Dr.

Balance from last year	\$3902.09
Received from Mrs. Louise H. Lee, over- paid salary	\$6.75
Received from Mrs. J. H. Plummer, over- paid order	.50
Received from Tamworth School District	108.00
Received from Quimby School, on stove	2.00
Received from State Board of Education, equalization	770.28
Received from Amoskeag Nat'l Bank, interest	31.00
Received from Town, orders for the year ending January 31, 1924	14,062.64
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	\$18,883.26

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By paid on School Orders for the year end- ing January 31, 1924	\$10,100.89
Cash on hand	8,782.37
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	\$18,883.26

ELMER B. HART,
School Treasurer.

STATISTICAL TABLE

Name of School	Terms	Name of Teacher	Salary	No. Weeks	No. Pupils	No. Boys	No. Girls	Av. Daily Att.	Percent of Att.	Tardiness	Perfect Attend.	Visits by Citizens	Visits by Superintendent
Center Sandwich Grammar	3	Maude T. Smith	\$900	36	30	15	15	24	89	45	1	35	19
Center Sandwich Primary	3	Belle E. Forbush	750	36	12	5	7	10	87	25	0	35	17
North Sandwich	3	Mabel I. Quimby Lillian Davis Helen Rolfe	684	36	10	4	6	8	94	16	1	26	15
Chick's Corner	3	Dorothy Thumith Beatrice Doughty Elizabeth Gillis	684	36	14	9	5	11	91	68	0	9	17
Durgin	3	Alice N. Hoag	684	36	12	4	8	11	94	8	2	12	14
Whiteface	3	LeRoy E. DeMarsh Harold Thompson Elsie Floyd	684	36	8	8	0	7	89	20	0	1	16
East Sandwich	3	Ethel C. Smith	684	36	8	4	4	6	95	4	3	86	20
Lower Corner	3	Flora B. Haley	684	36	11	8	3	9	87	67	1	15	16

VITAL STATISTICS

TO THE SELECTMEN — In compliance with an act of Legislature passed June session, 1887, requiring clerks of towns and cities to furnish a transcript of the record of births, marriages, and deaths to the municipal officers for publication in the Annual Report, I hereby submit the following.

Births in the town of Sandwich for the year ending December 31, 1923

Date	Name of the Child (if any)	Sex and Condition		Name of Father	Maiden Name of Mother	Color of Parents	Residence of Parents	Occupatk. of Father	Birthplace of Father	Birthplace of Mother
		Male or Female	Living or Stillborn							
Jan. 18	— — —					All White				
June 22	Norbert W.	Male	Stillborn	John F. Tilton	Sadie M. Dow		Sandwich	Farmer	Sandwich	Sandwich
June 23	Bernard Charles	Male	Living	George W. Haynes	Pernie Whitehouse		Bristol	Laborer	Alexandria	Moultonboro
July 2	Adella J.	Female	"	Victor Whiting	Madalene Elliott		Sandwich	Farmer	Tamworth	Sandwich
July 2	— — —			Jesse A. Mudgett	Jennie E. Sturges		"	"	"	Albany
July 28	— — —				Beatrice Doughty		"	"	"	"
July 31	Lester D. Jr.	Male	Living	Lester D. Burrows	Sylvia B. Burnham		"	"	Sandwich	Bailey's Is., Me.
Aug. 14	Shirley Hope	Female	"	Richard Gray	Helen E. Bryant		"	Laborer	Sandwich	Sandwich
Sept. 9	Doris Marian	"	"	Roscoe D. Peaslee	Dorothy E. Robinson		Plymouth	Student	Plymouth	Sandwich
Sept. 17	Donald Preston	Male	"	Walter S. Hutchins	Grace E. Roebarge		Sandwich	Carpenter	Sandwich	Cambridge
Oct. 9	Frank W.	"	"	Ferdinand Bedard	Frances G. Webster		"	Laborer	Tamworth	Tuftonboro
Oct. 22	Harold Edwin	"	"	Walter L. Taylor	Agnes M. Wallace		"	Laborer	St. Johnsbury, Vt.	Sandwich
Nov. 3	Karl H.	"	"	Karl H. Bickford	Helen L. Denney		"	Farmer	Sandwich	Tamworth
Nov. 10	Howard	"	"	Herman F. Tilton	Gertrude A. Martin		"	Farmer	Moultonboro	Meridith
Nov. 11	Josephine M.	Female	"	Wallace Nudd	Blanche LeClair		"	Farmer	Sandwich	Brookton, Mass.
Nov. 22	Edward Jesse	Male	"	Clarence R. Plummer	Luella M. Sturgis		"	Laborer	Sandwich	Northfield, Vt.
Dec. 20	Carroll Tilton	"	"	Arthur Hewitt	Edith M. Haley		"	Carpenter	Jam. Plain, Mass.	Sandwich

Marriages in the town of Sandwich for the year ending December 31, 1923

Date	Place of Marriage	Name and Surname of Groom and Bride and Residence of each at time of Marriage	Age in Years	Color	Occupation of Groom and Bride	Birthplace of each	Name of Parents	Birthplace of Parents	Name, Residence and Official Station of Person by whom Married
Jan. 5	Sandwich	John W. Bryant Sandwich	19	All White	Laborer	Sandwich	Walter C. Bryant Eliz. M. Severance	Moultonboro Sandwich	Thomas H. Stacy Minister of the Gospel Centre Sandwich
Feb. 12	Sandwich	Madeline M. Robinson Sandwich	16		At home	Cambridge, Mass.	William J. Robinson Nettie L. Quimby	Stewartstown Sandwich	Thomas H. Stacy Minister of the Gospel Centre Sandwich
Feb. 14	Sandwich	Lester D. Burrows Sandwich	18		Laborer	Sandwich	Harry L. Burrows Adelaide S. Hull	Ashtand Chebogue, Me.	Thomas H. Stacy Minister of the Gospel Centre Sandwich
		Beatrice Doughty Bailey's Island, Me.	22		Teacher	Bailey's Isl., Me.	Stephen Doughty Mary C. Johnson	Bailey's Isl., Me.	
		Richard Gray Sandwich	22		Laborer	Sandwich	Irving Gray M. Etta Corliss	Plymouth, Me. Sandwich	Thomas H. Stacy Minister of the Gospel Centre Sandwich
June 17	Sandwich	Sylvia B. Burnham Sandwich	17		Tel. Operator	Sandwich	Chas. S. Burnham Grace Chase	Sandwich Bellevue, Ohio	
		William W. Colby Bow	19		Forester	Bow	A. Sterling Colby Susie Hoyt	Bow Chichester	Thomas H. Stacy Minister of the Gospel Centre Sandwich
June 23	New Ipswich	Frances D. Gilman Sandwich	16		Waitress	Sandwich	Edward S. Gilman Marjorie Wallace	Amesbury, Mass. Sandwich	John Elliot Bowman Clergyman New Ipswich
		Watson E. Beach Sandwich	23		Painter	Manchester	John F. Beach Edith M. Kelley	Salisbury, Vt. Sunderland, Vt.	
Oct. 1	Meredith	Florence E. Hudson New Ipswich	20		Teacher	New Ipswich	Delbert Hudson Eva M. Keyes	Marlborough, Mass. New Ipswich	
		Roland Peaslee Sandwich	24		Carpenter	Sandwich	David J. Peaslee Dora Trask	New Ipswich Danvers, Mass.	Orville J. Gupdill Clergyman Meredith
Oct. 13	Sandwich	Dorothy Demick Sandwich	22		At home	Lynn, Mass.	C. Sherman Wing Dora Preston	Fayette, Me. Manchester	Thomas H. Stacy Minister of the Gospel Centre Sandwich
		Nathaniel Burrows Sandwich	19		Laborer	Sandwich	Chas. H. Burrows Amy M. Gilman	Manchester Sandwich	
Dec. 22	Sandwich	Edrie H. Gordon Rumney	21		Teacher	New York, N. Y.	Jesse H. Gordon Martha E. Nourse	Sandwich Derby Ctr., Vt.	
		W. Wesley Tewksbury Sandwich	44		Farmer	Albany	J. H. Tewksbury Sarah Hurley	Sandwich Salem, Mass.	Ansel E. Lee Justice of the Peace North Sandwich
		Mabel C. Stocker Tamworth	45		Housework	Madison	Edwin Henderson Ada E. Forrest	Madison	

Deaths in the Town of Sandwich for year ending December 31, 1923

Date	Name of Deceased	Age		Place of Birth	Sex and condition		Occupation	Place of Birth		Name of Father	Maiden Name of Mother
		Years	Months		Male or Female	Single Married or Widowed		Father	Mother		
Jan. 6	James R. Bryer	87	1	29	Male	Single	Housewife	Sandwich	Sandwich	John F. Tilton	Sadie M. Dow
Jan. 18	John F. Tilton	80	0	0	Male	Married	Carpenter	Sandwich	Gray, Me.	J. Page Brown	Angeline Bennett
Jan. 25	Florence B. Watson	41	4	12	Female	Married	Housewife	Sandwich	Gray, Me.	J. Page Brown	Grace E. Vittum
Feb. 14	Frank W. Brown	34	1	0	Male	Widowed	Housewife	Sandwich	Tamworth	John R. Gilman	Betsy Bryar
Feb. 16	Lucy M. Snow	67	8	20	Female	Married	Farmer	Sandwich	Sandwich	Jesse Cook	Emily J. Beede
Feb. 22	Owen L. Gilman	67	11	23	Male	Married	Farmer	Sandwich	Sandwich	George R. Smith	Alice P. Davey
Feb. 22	Curtis E. Cook	61	9	15	Male	Single	Shoemaker	Sandwich	Norway	James M. Smith	Lydia P. Skinner
Feb. 28	Clyde R. Smith	3	3	14	Male	Single	Blacksmith	Sandwich	Norway	Ole Nelson	May Moulton
June 21	Fred P. Smith	76	4	7	Male	Widowed	Shoemaker	Sandwich	Boston	Isaac Adams	Anna Russell
July 13	John Nelson	82	6	19	Male	Married	Lawyer	Sandwich	Liverpool, Eng.	John Lewis	Isabella Burrows
Aug. 7	Chas. A. Gilman	80	4	0	Male	Married	Printer	Sandwich	Boscawen	John W. Severance	Helen Mills
Aug. 8	Durward Adams	78	7	3	Male	Married	Mach. Stitch'r	Sandwich	Campton	Alpheus Hall	Drusilla Avery
Aug. 12	John S. Lewis	63	7	3	Male	Single	At home	Freedom	Effingham	Sewell Ward	Betsy Parter
Sept. 30	Laure Severance	42	2	10	Female	Married	At home	Freedom	Meredith	Isaac Tewksbury	Eva M. Swain
Nov. 4	Annie Atwood	64	6	4	Female	Widowed	At home	Tamworth			
Dec. 1	Frances E. Tilton	51	8	3	Female	Single	At home				
Dec. 8	Carrie Tewksbury	18	11	20	Female	Single	At home				

I hereby certify that the above and foregoing is a true transcript of all the records of all the births, marriages and deaths that have been reported to me for the year ending December 31, 1923.

CHARLES O. SMITH, Town Clerk.

